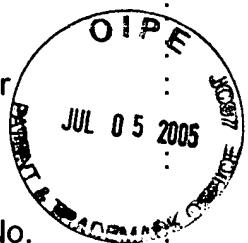




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Application No. : 10/809614 Confirmation No. 7230
Applicant : Joel Leverett
Filed : March 25, 2004
TC/A.U. : 3618
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AMENDMENT "A"

(In response to Paper No./Mail Date 20050610)

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P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

This amendment is filed in response to the Office action dated June 14, 2005.
The one month period for responding to the Office action expires on July 14, 2005.
Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

- **Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.
- **Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 13 of this paper.

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